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Rep. Giuliano Teaches Lyme-Old Lyme High School Civics Classes



State Representative Marilyn Giuliano, R-23rd District, recently discussed major issues and legislative initiatives considered by the Connecticut General Assembly during the 2005 legislative session with Lyme-Old Lyme High School civics students.

“The students were well-informed about major legislation that came before us this year, especially measures that could affect them personally,” Representative Giuliano said. “Among the bills we discussed were the school nutrition bill that was vetoed by Governor Rell; new restrictions on recently-licensed teenage drivers; and the initiative that would have allowed people suffering from cancer and other diseases to legally obtain and use marijuana for the relief of pain and discomfort.”

“The students asked intelligent questions about specific bills and how they became law – or why they failed,” Representative Giuliano said. “It is always a pleasure to meet with high school students who are interested in how the General Assembly and state government operates. It helps keep me up to date on what issues are most important to young people and it gives them the opportunity to get an inside view of the legislative process from the person who represents them in Hartford.”

Representative Giuliano was invited by Lyme-Old Lyme High School teacher Leslie Traver to discuss the issues with three Civics and The Law classes on Thursday, June 16th.